

REMARKS

Claims 1-52 were pending. By this Amendment and Response, claims 18-37 are canceled without prejudice to Applicant's right to present them in this or another patent application, claims 38-51 are withdrawn from consideration, and claims 53-65 are added. Therefore, claims 1-17 and 52-65 are now pending. Support for the new claims may be found throughout the specification, drawings, and claims as filed. Therefore, no new matter is entered by this Amendment and Response.

Election in Response to Requirement for Restriction

Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-17 and 52-65 inclusive. Applicant traverses the Requirement to the extent that no undue burden would be required to search the other groups.

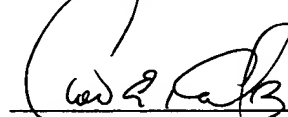
CONCLUSION

Applicants have responded to every issue raised by the Examiner and therefore consider this Amendment and Response to be fully responsive.

No fees are believed due in connection with the filing of this Amendment and Response. However, Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge or credit to our Deposit Account, **No. 06-1448**, any required fees due or overpayment thereof, respectively, in connection with the filing of this Amendment and Response.

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